

ISLANDS IN SUMMER SEAS DRAW WINTER VISITORS FROM THE NORTH

Bermuda's Winter Season Launched With Flying Start

Hotels Opened Friday and the Cottage Colony Has Begun to Gather.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Dec. 16. IF it were Bermuda's custom to send out cards they might read something like this: "At home, on and after December 15, Bermuda, Mid-Atlantic" for this week may be said to officially mark the opening of the winter season here. The all-season hotels, particularly the St. George, at St. George's, are now entertaining an unusual number of regular patrons; the members of Bermuda's exclusive cottage colony are returning by each steamship and the opening of the Princess and Hamilton hotels yesterday furnished, as it were, the crack of the pistol for which the eager young season has been waiting.

Just now the work of arranging for the events of the winter season of 1922-23 is nearing completion and dates will soon be announced. The events, which include the Bermuda golf championship, the big tennis championship taking place during the first week of March following the tournaments on the Princess and Hamilton Hotel courts, the powerboat races in January and the annual trap shooting tournament in April are all of an international character, bringing together leaders of the different sports from all parts of the United States and Canada.

For golfers there are two splendid eighteen hole courses available and no less than three additional nine hole courses, affording plenty of room for the enthusiastic. Interest centers in a large degree about the new mid-sea course, in connection with the development tract at Tucker's Town, midway between the city of Hamilton and the town of St. George's, by the Bermuda Development Company.

The crowning feature of the new course is the new clubhouse, formerly part of a great Bermudian estate. Improvements of a general nature also have been worked upon the famous Riddell's Bay golf course, which is situated but a comparatively short distance across Hamilton Harbor from the city of Hamilton.

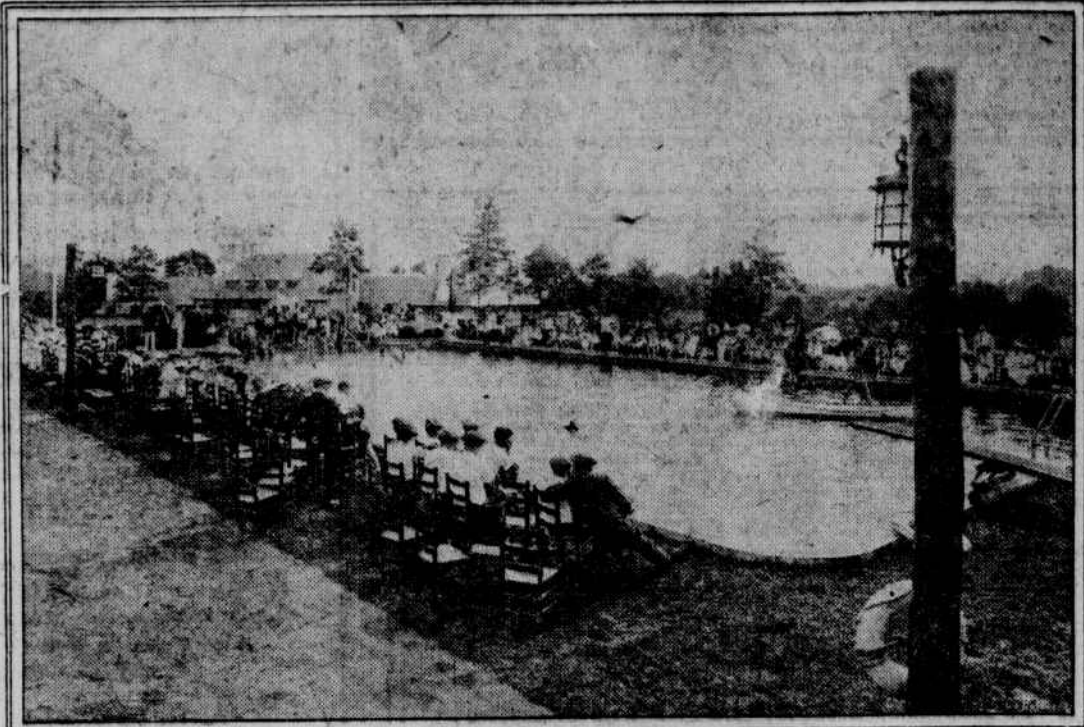
Changes in Hotels.

Sojourners of previous seasons returning to the Hamilton and Princess hotels will find that changes conducive to even greater comfort than these famous hostels have afforded in the past, have been made during the summer and fall. Much interest centers about the announcement of Hamilton's new hotel project which has for its aim the completion of the new Bermudian, at an outlay of \$1,500,000, in time for the opening of the winter season of 1923-24. This new hotel, which will accommodate 400, is to be built after plans by Warren & Wetmore of New York city.

One of the principal features of this season is the rejuvenation of quaint old St. George's, historic former capital of Bermuda, located on the island of St. George, which is connected with the major island group by a causeway. The St. George Hotel, owned by Furness Withy & Co., Ltd., and recently remodelled at an outlay of \$200,000, is St. George's social center and is the leading all year hotel on the islands.

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Winter Playground on Vanderbilt Estate in North Carolina



WATER SPORTS AT ASHEVILLE, N.C. BILTMORE COUNTRY CLUB IN BACKGROUND

symphony of contentment. A glance at the sailing schedules of the fleet of the Furness Bermuda Line, including the steamers Port St. George and Port Victoria on regular service, supplemented by special trips of the Port Hamilton, lends emphasis to the realization that Bermuda is not a country afar off but at the very threshold of the United States. A splendid example of the advantages conditions under which the water trip is enjoyed is afforded by the Araguaia of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, which will reenter the service with the trip from New York on December 21. The splendid steamer of 17,000 tons displacement will make schedule trips throughout the season.

Bermuda's climate and wonderful scenic attractions have been made the subject of song and story since time immemorial and to seekers of a winter vacation spot they need no recounting. If anything, these gifts of nature are yearly becoming greater assets than ever before. But not all of Bermuda's delights are above ground, and few of those sojourning here miss an opportunity to tour the wonderful caverns which are declared by tourists capable of judging, to surpass in beauty of calcareous formations the famous Luray caverns of Virginia. Also, a growing number of the sojourners here make the special steamer trip five miles to the sea gardens where the wonders of the living rock are revealed through specially constructed glass bottom boats.

Fishing in Bermuda waters, with over 300 chances of making a catch among as many varieties of fish, is largely a question of endurance on the part of the fisherman. Lovers of bird life find a redundancy of singers and as for flowers, the very name of Bermuda carries with it the odor of oleander, Easter lilies and other beautiful blooms.

Cottage Colony Grows.

Bermuda's cottage colony, growing steadily from year to year, has enrolled as more or less permanent sojourners some of those well known in the social circles of New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Washington, Montreal

and other cities of the East, while there is likewise a sprinkling from the breezy West.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Roosevelt of Hyde Park, who will again spend the season here, have reserved Linden, an attractive place at Paget. They came recently on the Port Victoria of the

Furness Line. Last season Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt occupied The Gables at Paget. Dr. and Mrs. Seth M. Milliken and their daughter, Alida, who recently came from New York, are at Westmoreland, Pembroke, for the season. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brian of the Hotel Netherlands, who are coming down

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December 21 aboard the Royal Mail's Araguaia, will make a stay of several weeks.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nelson and Miss Nelson of New York, who recently arrived for the season, are at Ardleigh.

Other New Yorkers among the members of the cottage colony include Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rowland, at Honeybrook cottage; Mrs. Morgan Davis, who has reserved Mount Vernon; Mr. John Langman, who has Clifton cottage on Spanish Point; and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Butler Gleason, who are at their cottage.

Mrs. Barnes Compton and Miss Polly Compton are among those from New York coming aboard the Araguaia, which steamer Port Victoria, which sails from there on December 20.

Mrs. Moncure Robinson and Miss Robinson of Paul, Pa., came down recently. Among prominent Canadians recently arrived are Sir Arthur and Lady Harris and Colonel and Mrs. Donald Mackenzie of Montreal.

New Hotel at Augusta To Be Open January 1

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 16.—One of the features of the winter season here will be the opening of the Bon Air-Vanderbilt Hotel on January 1. It replaces the Bon Air Hotel which was burned two years ago. The new structure has been incorporated in it all the latest improvements in hotel construction. One of the features which has been widely advertised is a wireless telephone connection for every room, whereby each guest can be connected with a radio-telephone receiving apparatus.

The completion of this hotel gives the Vanderbilt group, of which Mr. Walton H. Marshall is the managing director,

rector, a chain of three hotels—the original Vanderbilt, in New York; the Condado-Vanderbilt, in Porto Rico, and the new Bon Air-Vanderbilt. Special arrangements are being made to add to the brilliancy of the opening, which is expected to attract those interested in the development of winter resorts throughout the South. Those prominent in the social life of this resort will also have a large part in the program.

Greenfield Prepares For Season's Sports

GREENFIELD, Mass., Dec. 16.—Through the activity of the winter sports committee here two fast toboggan chutes

have been built off the side of Rocky Mountain beneath Post's Seat Tower, a picturesque location. Two or three hundred feet from the chutes there will be a ski jump for amateurs which can be taken from several different elevations to suit the wishes of the person using the jump. A little further a thrilling slide for double rollers and bobbleheads is being constructed down the mountain road.

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